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BIG NAVAL REVIEW

MORE WARSHIPS THAN EVER BEFORE ASSEMBLED OFF COAST.

Ships of All Sizes and Character Present When President Passes Through Fleet on the Mayflower—Prolonged Boom for Roosevelt.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 4.—A salute of twenty-one guns, fired simultaneously by every fighting craft in a mighty fleet of two score warships, greeted President Roosevelt when he stepped on board the naval yacht Mayflower to review what is believed to be the largest war fleet ever assembled in American waters. When the president stepped on board the Mayflower the great fleet lay in three columns, each about two miles in length, with battleships and monitors in the center column, the cruisers and several other battleships in the off-shore column and a long line of torpedo boat destroyers outstretched between the remainder of the fleet and the shore. Encircling the entire fleet was a cordon of cutters, making a picket line for the exclusion of the excursion boats.

A large number of guests of the president and Mrs. Roosevelt were on board the Dolphin. Followed by the cruiser Des Moines, which was devoted to the service of the foreign naval attaches, and by the Dolphin, the Mayflower proceeded out of Oyster Bay to where the battleship Maine, with Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans on board, lay in the central position at the head of the fleet.

The Dolphin and Des Moines took up their positions respectively at the head of the third and first columns and the Mayflower passed down between the long lines of warships while the roar of the president's salute of twenty-one guns each burst from the three-inch guns of each warship as the Mayflower swept majestically past. Each ship in turn, with sailors manning its yards, sounded its tribute of honor to the commander-in-chief as the yacht passed up and down through the two lanes made by the formation of the fleet, and then having circled entirely about the fleet, anchored at the position of honor at the head of the central column.

There was a ship of war for every state, forty-five in all, ranging in size from the big 16,000 ton Louisiana, just completed, to the fleet's little torpedo boats and the submarines, and including one troopship and colliers.

As the Mayflower dropped her anchor at the head of the fleet on the completion of the review, the president descended from the bridge, his face wreathed in smiles and enthusiastically throwing his arms around the shoulders of a group of senators and representatives, exclaimed:

"Any man who fails to be inspired patriotically by such a sight as this is a mighty poor American, and every American who has seen it ought to be a better American for it."

The sentiment was echoed enthusiastically by the group around the president.

"And you, gentlemen," he said, addressing the naval committee, "are responsible for it. It is your handiwork and it has all been done within the last ten years. Every one of these ships is a fighter and ready to go into action at a moment's notice. Again you have shown your wisdom in the appropriations for the target practice, for there is where the American navy excels. Our men can shoot and shoot straight, and therein lies our naval strength and our superiority."

PAUL STENSLAND ARRESTED.

Absconding President of Chicago Bank Caught in Tangier.

Chicago, Sept. 4.—A cablegram to the Chicago Tribune from Tangier, Morocco, announces the capture in that city of Paul O. Stensland, the president and manager of the Milwaukee Avenue State bank, which closed its doors on Aug. 6.

The arrest was made by a representative of the Tribune and Assistant State's Attorney Olsen of this city, who have been on the trail of Stensland since Aug. 3. Stensland had many friends among women of this city upon whom he was accustomed to spend much money, and one of these, feeling that she had not been treated by him with due consideration, came to the Tribune a few days after his flight with information regarding the direction in which he had gone. Her information was somewhat indefinite, but investigation proved its accuracy.

Judge Pond arrived in the city and at once signed the petition for re-

surrection papers prepared by Acting State's Attorney Barbour. Assistant State's Attorney Barnett left for Springfield to present the petition to the secretary of state. The petition is accompanied by affidavits in support of charges of forgery.

A petition to Governor Deneen and one to President Roosevelt were also included among the papers forwarded to the secretary of state.

Assistant State's Attorney Barbour received a telegram from the state department at Washington, saying that a cablegram had been sent to the Moroccan authorities asking whether they would surrender Stensland.

Mother Sees Child Killed.

Bloomington, Ill., Sept. 4.—While searching for her two-year-old child, Mrs. Joseph Hirst of Towanda was horrified to see it toddle upon the tracks of the Chicago and Alton and be killed by a train before she could save it.

Farmer Killed by Train.

Mason, Neb., Sept. 3.—Martin Riese, a farmer who lives fourteen miles southwest of here, was struck by the east-bound flyer here and killed almost instantly. Deceased was fifty-eight years old and was a bachelor. His being a cripple prevented his escape from the engine.

Accidentally Killed While Out Hunting. Beatrice, Neb., Sept. 5.—Lawrence Kauffman, the seventeen-year-old son of City Attorney E. N. Kauffman of Wymore, was instantly killed while out hunting with two companions. Young Kauffman was in the act of pulling the gun from the wagon when the hammers caught and both barrels were discharged. The shot tore away part of his head.

DAHLMAN ROPES CAB HORSE

Mayor of Omaha Lasso Animal on Fifth Avenue.

New York, Sept. 1.—Mayor "Jim" Dahlman of Omaha, Tom Johnson of Cleveland and Mayor Dunne of Chicago became well acquainted and after discussing the Bryan reception took a stroll in company. When the trio left the Victoria hotel Mayor "Jim" offered to bet Mayor Johnson 100 to 1 that he could lasso him before Cleveland's mayor could run 100 feet. Johnson declined the wager, but offered to buy the drinks if Mayor "Jim" could lasso a cab horse going at full speed up Fifth avenue. A "cabby" at Twenty-third street and Fifth avenue was greeted by the trio. The horse was going down Fifth avenue at a good speed, and on the first throw Mayor "Jim" sent the lariat squarely over the horse's neck.

NEBRASKA CENTENARIAN DIES.

Andrew Gillespie, a Pioneer, Passes Away Near Danneberg.

Danneberg, Neb., Sept. 3.—Andrew Gillespie, who died at his home about twelve miles north of here, was one of the most remarkable men of Nebraska.

Although well past the century mark in age, he retained great vitality, and up to within a few months of his death was as active as many men thirty years younger. He was born in Warren county, Kentucky, June 4, 1805. He has always been a frontiersman, removing with his parents to Illinois when eight years old, where his father was a member of the first legislature. In 1866 he settled in Iowa, and voted at the first election held in that state. He came to Nebraska in 1871, being one of the first white men to set foot in the North Loup valley and built the first house in that section near where Cotsfield now is. He had been married twice and was the father of fifteen children.

BAD FIRE AT CRAB ORCHARD.

For Second Time in Year Business Houses Are Destroyed.

Tecumseh, Neb., Sept. 3.—The town of Crab Orchard, fifteen miles west of here, suffered a bad fire in its business portion. Five buildings on the south side of Main street were burned.

The fire started in the building of Sidwell brothers, originating on the second floor, in the opera house. This building with contents was lost. The fire spread west to the one-story frame building of W. H. Miller, occupied by the owner with harness and hardware. The next building to go was the one-story frame owned by J. M. Dilworth and occupied by the owner with a stock of jewelry. The fire then spread west to the building owned by Mrs. T. W. Roberts and occupied by her with a millinery stock. The building was lost, but the stock was saved.

Spreading east the fire went from the Sidwell building to C. B. Smith's two-story brick. It was occupied by J. C. Schurz with a restaurant, and building and contents were lost.

Sidwell brothers' loss is \$2,800, insurance \$2,000; Dement, loss \$300, insurance \$200; Dilworth, loss \$3,500, insurance \$2,300; Mrs. Roberts, loss \$600, insurance \$300; Miller, loss \$3,500, insurance \$1,950; Smith, loss \$1,500, insurance \$1,000.

On Jan. 19, this year, the town had a similar fire, and both are supposed to be of incendiary origin. The citizens are considerably worked up over the matter. The only fire protection is a bucket brigade.

ROUNDING UP HORSETHIEVES.

Wyoming Officials After a Gang That Has Stolen 200 Animals.

Basin, Wyo., Sept. 4.—The details of a thoroughly organized system of horsestealing, covering depredations in Wyoming, Montana and Nebraska, and implicating at least a score of men, are gradually being unfolded through the efforts of the local authorities. According to report, suspicion points strongly at several residents of this county who occupy positions of prominence in business and social circles, and while it is understood the county attorney has been asked to file information against some of these, he does not feel justified in causing their apprehension until more evidence has been secured.

The recent arrest of Bob Sutton at Worland gave the authorities the first intimation of this powerful organization. Within the past two months no less than 200 horses have been reported to the sheriff as missing from their ranges, and these reports continue to come in. The local stock associations are determined to break up this gang, as it is unsafe to turn stock loose on the range as matters stand now.

Peasants Lynch Two Terrorists. Smardcevo, Sept. 5.—Peasants lynched two terrorists here.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Features of the Day's Trading and Closing Quotations.

Chicago, Sept. 4.—Excellent weather in the northwest for harvesting was the chief cause of weakness in the local wheat market today. At the close wheat for December delivery was down $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢. Corn was down $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢. Oats showed a loss of $\frac{1}{4}$ ¢. Provisions were unchanged to $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢@10¢ lower. Closing prices:

Wheat—Sept., 70 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; Dec., 73 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; May, 77 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢.

Corn—Sept., 47 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; Dec., 43 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢@43 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; May, 44¢.

Oats—Sept., 30 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; Dec., 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢@31 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; May, 33 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢.

Pork—Sept., \$16.75; Jan., \$13.42 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢.

Lard—Sept., \$8.55@8.57 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; Jan., \$7.87 $\frac{1}{2}$ @7.90.

Ribs—Sept., \$8.65; Jan., \$7.25.

Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, 70 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢@72 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; No. 2 corn, 48 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢@49¢; No. 2 oats, 30 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢@30 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Sept. 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 7,500; slow to 10¢ lower; native steers, \$4.25@6.25; cows and heifers, \$3.00@4.50; western steers, \$3.25@5.25; Texas steers, \$3.00@4.30; canners, \$1.50@2.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@4.35; calves, \$3.00@5.75; bulls, stags, etc., \$1.75@3.75. Hogs—Receipts, 7,000; steady to 5¢ lower; heavy, \$5.60@5.90; mixed, \$5.70@5.80; light, \$5.90@6.10; pigs, \$5.00@5.80; bulk of sales, \$5.70@5.90. Sheep—Receipts, 25,000; slow and shade lower; yearlings, \$5.50@6.00; wethers, \$5.00@5.50; ewes, \$4.50@5.20; lambs, \$6.25@7.35.

Chicago, Sept. 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; best steady, others weak; common to prime steers, \$3.75@6.80; cows, \$2.70@4.75; heifers, \$2.60@5.35; bulls, \$2.25@4.50; calves, \$3.00@7.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.60@4.35. Hogs—Receipts, 20,000; 5¢@10¢ lower; choice to prime heavy, \$6.10@6.20; medium to good heavy, \$5.90@6.00; butcherweights, \$6.20@6.35; good to choice heavy, mixed, \$6.00@6.15; packing, \$5.50@5.95; pigs, \$5.50@6.40. Sheep—Receipts, 20,000; steady to strong; sheep, \$4.25@5.75; yearlings, \$5.40@6.50; lambs, \$6.00@7.90.

IRRIGATION CONGRESS OPENS

Vice President Fairbanks Delivers Address—President Sends Letter.

Boise, Ida., Sept. 4.—Vice President Fairbanks was the guest of the city of Boise and the National Irrigation congress, which convened here for its fourteenth annual convention. The congress received a letter of greeting from President Roosevelt, which provoked hearty applause, and later, by resolution of the congress, an expression of thanks was telegraphed to the president.

Vice President Fairbanks' address was fraught with encouragement for the irrigationists and the good wishes he expressed were fully appreciated.

The delegates, who numbered more than 1,000, and represented more than one-half of the states of the union, were welcomed by Mayor Pinney of Boise, Governor Gooding and Senator Dubois. Speeches in response were delivered by United States Senator Thomas Carter of Montana, Governor Chamberlain of Oregon and Cyrus Happy of Spokane, Wash.

Governor George C. Pardee, president of the congress, being unable to deliver his annual address in person, sent a letter, which was read by the secretary.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect it.

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